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For

RESERVATION REGISTRATION APPARATUS, METHOD OF RESERVATION

REGISTRATION AND PROGRAM STORAGE MEDIUM

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

Ø No additional fee is required.

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This is an application of a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9(f), and the amounts shown in parentheses apply.

Claims as Amended

| (1) | (2) Claims remaining after amendment | (3) | (4) Highest number previously paid for | (5) Present extra | (6) Rate | (7) Additional fee |
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| Independent claims | 3 | Minus | 3 = | 0 × | \$200(100) | = \$0 |
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AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 116

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action of February 17, 2005, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10.